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In re Applicant:

Group Art Unit: 1714

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GASOLINE-OXYGENATE BLEND

AND METHOD OF PRODUCING

THE SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 013129/00025

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 11, 2001, the period of time with which to respond has been extended to expire on September 11, 2001, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 20, Table 8, third line under "Blend" (first column), change "B2" to -- B1 --

Page 21, fifth line under "Blend" (first column), change "Q1" to

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

(Once Amended).

A process for preparing a gasoline-oxygenate blend

comprising combining a blend of hydrocarbons with an alcohol, wherein the resulting gasoline-

Claim 23.